

RELIABLE PEOPLE TO GO TO WHEN YOU WANT TO GET THE BEST

And Everything as is Represented
in Their Advertisements and
Notices.

[Below we give a list of a few of our
advertisers all of whom we can recom-
mend as being thoroughly reliable and
who live up to their promises. This
column will be continued from day to
day until every advertiser has had a
special write up.]

The reflection is a good one when it
is said that the poetical Wilcox can
take as fine photographs as anybody in
the country and at a price uncom-
monly cheap. It is by this means that
we can see ourselves as others see us.
His gallery is located at the Berkeley
station.

There are fits and fits and fits, but
the kind that Byron Rutley, merchant
tailor at 1167 Washington street, Oak-
land, provides a man with when he
gets a suit of clothes meets the ap-
probation of the whole community. As a
draper he defies competition.

The conciseness and neatness of
Mrs. Nellie Layman's advertisement
is indicative of the manner and style of
her business and in the selection she
makes of millinery goods adapted to
the California trade. Her patrons will
always find her at 955 Broadway, Oak-
land.

Out of town people visiting West
Berkeley always want to put up their
teams, while they are attending to
whatever may have called them into
town. F. J. O'Brien has stables fitted
up for the purpose, and teams entrusted
to his care will always have the best
of care. He is located on the corner
of University avenue and Fifth street,
West Berkeley.

There has been a large amount of
artificial stone work laid in Berkeley,
and there will be a very large amount
of the same kind of work to be done
before it gets to be a great big city.
J. A. Marshall, corner of Shattuck
avenue and Dwight way puts down his
work so that it will stay there, and not
crack all to pieces in a short while.
He does all kinds of work in that line,
of which there is a great variety. Look
around town and see samples of his
work before giving orders elsewhere.

E. C. Barclay, the popular life insur-
ance agent is a live man and if he lives
long enough to get around every man
that can pass the proper examination
on the Pacific Coast will have his life
insured. His arguments are so con-
vincing that every one he has a chance
to talk with immediately makes an ap-
plication. He is the local organizer of
the United Workmen's Alliance of Cal-
ifornia and the Home office is at 315
California street, San Francisco. It is
a fraternal, secret and beneficial asso-
ciation and pays a weekly benefit of
\$10 for either sickness or accident and
sufficient to pay for a decent funeral in
case of death. The expense is nominal
being only \$1 per month. The initia-
tion costs \$5. Ladies are accepted at
half the above rates and receive a
weekly benefit of \$5 by paying monthly
dues of 50 cents. Wm. R. Rutledge
of West Berkeley is the local treasurer.
This is a company that will be of great
benefit to all people of limited means.

The O. K. furniture store of 469
and 471 Twelfth street, Oakland, ad-
vertises that it will sell ten per cent
cheaper than any other store in that
city. It deals in furniture, carpets,
stoves, crockery, etc. It is easy
enough to find this all out by calling at
the store and making inquiries.

Where is the person in California
who is not troubled more or less with
catarrh? We venture to say there is
not one who is not somewhat affected.
All want a cure. The next thing is to
find it out and where to get it. The
Welsh Inhaler has a great many en-
dorsers as to its capability of curing
this dread disease. This novel in-
strument can be used continuously all
night and is a soothing, healing and
health-giving remedy, reaching the in-

most parts of the head, throat and
lungs. William H. Brown, 61 Second
street, San Francisco, has the instru-
ment, which he sells for \$1.50.

Messrs. Paine and Dickieson, Real
Estate and Insurance Brokers, have
resided some time in Berkeley and
thoroughly understand all of its land
values. They have houses and lots
for sale in all parts of the town as well
as houses to rent. In these times of
competitive insurance it would be well
to consult these gentlemen as they
keep thoroughly posted on all of the
ups and downs. Their main office is
805 University avenue near Fifth
street.

Huston & Simpson of 2522 Shattuck
avenue have secured the agency of the
San Jose distilled ice, which they keep
constantly on hand. This is in addi-
tion to the coal, wood, hay and grain
business which they established some
time since. They will meet all com-
petition and make their patrons satis-
fied.

Miss Lillie Hansen is always up-to-
date in the millinery line. No woman
likes to be without a hat and she
wants it trimmed neatly and with taste.
Miss Hansen has this faculty and uses
it to good advantage on her customers.
As all people are not alike there must
be a difference in the make up to make
everything correspond. Miss Han-
sen's experience and innate knowledge
becomes very valuable to her patrons,
who never leave her beautiful parlors
at 2130 Shattuck avenue, up stairs,
without being fully satisfied with the
purchases they may have made.

Miss Kate Teague, West Berkeley's
efficient postmistress, has a good and
varied assortment of stationery, notions,
dry and fancy goods and school sup-
plies. When in want of anything of
this kind drop in the store in the post-
office block, West Berkeley, and take
a look at her display.

H. D. Kelsey, the East Berkeley
pharmacist is native to the manner
born. A graduate of the University
and the California College of phar-
macy belonging thereto, he thoroughly
understands his business. He carries
a very large assortment of drugs and
always keeps those that are fresh. If
any ever have a chance to get anywhere
state they are condemned and put out
of the way. He has a fine business
which increases every year showing his
popularity among the masses.

Emile Montirichard Jr. has suc-
ceeded his father in the meat market
on University avenue near Ninth street.
With much experience while with his
father he feels able and competent to
furnish his patrons with all kinds of
fresh and salted meats as good and
cheap as anybody in Berkeley. He
is deserving and should be patronized.

D. R. Wentworth, the Berkeley boot
and shoe manufacturer, as already
stated in the GAZETTE has his factory
and office at 809 Delaware street,
West Berkeley. There is no question
about it but that he sells for cash boots
and shoes cheaper than any other first
dealer in the country. All of his work
stands upon its own merit. All he
wants is people to give his manufacture
a trial and then they will see that there
is more reasons than one why home
industry should be patronized.

Harry Heywood spells his name
symbolically in his advertisement. The
symbols he uses when giving the prices
of goods in the grocery line are so
plain that he who runs may read. We
don't ask you to take our say so that
these so very low rates are correct. It
is best that you go to the store and
verify them, and find out that a man
who advertises his business in the GAZ-
ETTE always tells the truth. When
you go to the seaside at West Berke-
ley to take a salt water bath you pass
right by his store door, on the corner
of Fifth and Delaware streets, West
Berkeley.

The curative man is always wanted,
no matter in what shape he may
appear. That magnetism and electric-
ity, when properly applied, have great
powers of healing, no one will deny in
these days of progress. Some men
are more gifted than others with elec-
trical power. Dr. C. A. Hushall is
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BOLD HIGHWAYMEN INFESTING THE SAN PABLO ROAD AND BERKELEY.

Six People Held up on Sunday
Night, two of Them Within the
Limits of Berkeley.

Bold Highwaymen.

On Sunday evening last as Albert
Franke, a rancher who resides at San
Pablo, and who had spent the day in
Oakland, was riding home in a cart
accompanied by a friend they were
held up by masked highwaymen on the
San Pablo road, at a point near the
Red House. The men closed in on the
cart from both sides of the road,
one of them having a sawed off short
gun, and the other an ugly looking re-
volver. The taller of the two men
commanded Mr. Franke to stop and
throw up his hands, and he and his
companion complied at once. One of
the men then went to the horse's head,
while the other proceeded in a cool
and calculating manner to go through
the pockets of his victims, and suc-
ceeded in getting a couple of watches
and about \$80 in money. Franke and
his friend were then instructed to
drive on and not look back, on pain
of instant death, which they did and
the robbers disappeared in the dark-
ness.

A little later in the evening D. J.
Keane and Larry Haggerty, who re-
side in South Berkeley, who had been
hunting during the day in the San
Pablo marsh, were returning home on
the San Pablo road. They had driven
about half a mile this side of the Red
House when two men answering the
same description as those who held up
Franke and his friend, stepped out
into the road and commanded them
to throw up their hands. The hands
went up in a twinkling of an eye, and
the robbers then went through them,
and succeeded in getting a few dollars
from each of them.

About two hours later a lady and a
gentleman were walking up San Pablo
avenue near the schoolhouse, when
two men came out from its shadows
and told them to throw up their hands.
They then took from the young man
\$10, and his watch and chain. They
also took the lady's purse from her,
which contained a gold ring and some
small change. The description given
by the lady and gentleman answers
that of the men who held up the dif-
ferent parties out on the road, except
that they wore no masks.

A Rig Show Coming.

Ever since the GAZETTE commenced
to advocate the wharf proposition
Berkeley has been advertised all over
the State in all the papers as the com-
ing town, and is being pointed out as
an example for other towns to follow.
These notices are attracting people
from all parts. The latest is a first-
class comedy company, known as
Lloyd & Bender's No Relations Com-
pany, headed by that eminent actor
Henry Edward Lloyd, supported by
Alexander Bender, California's greatest
tenor, and their great company of
players in their great comedy "No
Relations," and John McCullough's
ravings in the Bloomingdale asylum.
The Company has its own orchestra,
of which Carl Von Oldersdorf, late of
Germany, is the leader. During the
evening he will introduce two German
overtures, in which he played recently
in the conservatory of Berlin.

This company has been meeting
with great success all over the State
and are now enroute to New York.
They will appear at Sisterna Hall,
West Berkeley, on Saturday evening,
November 16th. Look out for their
advertisement tomorrow.

The Good Government Club has
called a mass meeting at Shattuck hall
on next Thursday evening to give pub-
lic expression of approval for the
energy displayed by the Marshal and
other town officials in the arrest of per-
sons thought to be violating the saloon
license ordinance and the one mile
liquor law. Able speakers will be
present and the public is invited to at-
tend.

It Is Said

That the people of Berkeley who re-
ceived a copy of the GAZETTE last
evening took very kindly to it.

That the mail brought us several new
subscribers today.

That the people of Berkeley are a
reading people as the solicitors of the
San Francisco Bulletin state that they
obtained over 100 new subscribers yes-
terday in Berkeley.

That Connie Newell has removed to
the opposite side of San Pablo avenue,
from where his old stand was.

That the grass is coming up nicely
now and soon the hills will be pleasant
to look at.

That the poundman will be kept
busy as soon as the grass gets a little
longer for then will the owners of
horses and cows turn them upon the
street to browse.

That we are receiving letters from a
number of people in Contra Costa
advocating the wharf at West Berkeley
as it will give them the opportunity of
shipping their products to San Fran-
cisco without paying all they get to the
Railroad Company for freight. This
will mean a great deal of revenue for
the wharf.

That Tim Murray has got one of
the largest teeth that ever grew in a
human beings head, which he claims
was taken from his jaw. He has been
elevated to the presidency of the Saa-
zarac Lying Club without any protest.

That the business men of the county
and town know where their advertise-
ments are seen and read, consequently
they keep sending them into the GAZ-
ETTE.

That the GAZETTE contains double
the advertisements of Berkeley people
contained in any other Berkeley paper
and three times as many San Francisco
and Oakland advertisements, besides
the legal advertisements of the town.

That we are much pleased to have
so many of our citizens call at our
office. We hope that they will call
often.

The Board of Trustees will hold an
adjourned meeting tomorrow evening
at which time the wharf and school
bond questions will come up for con-
sideration.

The engagement of Dr. Frank
Woolsey of Ashby avenue and Miss
Lena Johnson of Claremont has been
made public.

The Women's Suffrage Club of
Berkeley held its regular meeting at
Stiles hall yesterday afternoon. Ad-
dresses were made by Mrs. Gower, the
State organizer and by Rev. E. B.
Paine. The meeting was attended by
quite a number of the co-eds of the
University.

The ladies of the faculty will give
the first tea of this term at Stiles hall
tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 5:30
o'clock to the officers and students of
the State University.

The residence of Mrs. Wal-
Sell was burglarized on Sunday even-
ing last and a quantity of wearing ap-
parel and table linen stolen. Mrs. Sell
did not discover her loss until yester-
day morning when she notified the
police. During the past week no less
than half a dozen burglaries were com-
mitted in the same neighborhood as
Mrs. Sell's.

A mother's care and a good home
will be given to two or three children
by applying to W. C. Davis, Folger
avenue near San Pablo avenue, Stock-
yards.

Mrs. N. E. Williams, who conducts
the Delaware street notion store, is do-
ing a flourishing business. The reason
for this is because she sells her goods
at a small profit, and consequently
sells a large amount. Toilet soap is
sold three cakes for 25 cents; Coate's
machine cotton, six spools for a
quarter; tobacco of all kinds, three
packages for 25 cents and all other
goods in proportion.

Lost—A birth book. Finder will
please return same to Mme. Kohné,
midwife, on Eighth street between Uni-
versity avenue and Addison street,
West Berkeley.

Subscrib for the GAZETTE

LOCK YOUR DOORS.

THE HOUSE OF MR. WRIGHT OF
WEST BERKELEY

Entered by Burglars on Sunday
Evening—Communication about
the Wharf.

Another Burglary.

On Sunday evening last E. Wright,
who lives on Mason street in West
Berkeley, had a visit from a burglar,
and had it not been for his son he
might now be minus several of his
valuables.

During Sunday evening he and his
family left the house to visit a neighbor
and were gone not to exceed fifteen
minutes. When they returned they
immediately went up stairs and had
just got into bed when the son who
sleeps upstairs over the kitchen heard
a noise in the kitchen, as if a chair had
been knocked over. He immediately
went to his mother's room and told
her that there was some one down
stairs. Mr. Wright got up and lit a
lamp and proceeded to investigate and
as he was going downstairs he heard
the burglar hastily leaving.

He then commenced an investiga-
tion to see what the burglar had got
away with, and found nothing missing
except a silver sugar bowl, which had
been taken from a closet in the dining
room, where considerable other silver-
ware was kept. On the sideboard
there was a few dollars in money and
a gold watch chain, which the burglar
had failed to discover. The sugar
bowl was found in the morning in front
of the house.

Mr. Wright says that he has bolts on
all of the doors and that he personally
bolted all the doors before going to
bed. His theory is that the burglar
must have entered the house during
the fifteen minutes that the family
were absent, and secreted himself
until they had returned and gone to
bed, after which he commenced to ex-
plore the house for valuables, and he
would probably have succeeded had it
not been that he knocked the chair
over, causing the noise to arouse the
boy who had not yet gone to sleep.

Mr. Wright found that the door of a
small shed that leads off the kitchen
was open, as was also the door leading
from the kitchen into the shed, which
showed which way the burglar left the
house. Both of these doors had been
bolted by Mr. Wright before he went
to bed.

It would be well for our citizens to
keep a careful watch over their valu-
ables as there seems to be an organ-
ized band of burglars now infesting the
town.

The Wharf Question.

EDITOR GAZETTE—Whenever it oc-
curs that a proposition is advanced it
also occurs that there is always two
parties to the question. In a case of
this kind it appears to one party that
the other would receive the most direct
benefit from the issue, if it was passed.
A jealousy naturally exists with some
people and some are regular "dog in
the manger" people.

The question, of course, requires
considerable discussion and the more
it is discussed greater advantages and
good general results are brought to
light that otherwise would not be
thought of.

We must not allow sentiment to
stand in the way of progression. Look
around at some of our sister towns and
see the results of the lack of fore-
thought. Just think what an advan-
tage Goat Island would have been to
San Francisco if the people would
have allowed it to have been used as a
shipping point for deep water vessels.

Build the wharf by all means and
open the gates of Berkeley to the
world. Nothing can stop the town
then from advancement. With this
advantage factory after factory will
start and it would not be long before
this would be a great manufacturing
city. East Berkeley, with her glorious
climate would not be long in realizing
the benefit, building after building
would be erected as homes for manu-

facturers and business men. It would
not be long before the space of vacant
ground now existing between the east
and west would be utilized for building
purposes and the residents could look
down and over the smoky West End
and see steamers and ships plowing
their way through the Golden Gate to
receive and discharge freight at our
wharves.

West Berkeley, Nov. 11, 1895.
They are Independent.

The young ladies who attend the
State University are as independent as
lot of folks as one will find in any
country, and it is this independence
that makes them so charming.
For a long time they have been dis-
gusted with their quarters in the Uni-
versity building, which is familiarly
known as the "Ladies' Room." It is
situated in the basement and is cold,
damp and cheerless, so the pretty
co-eds have matured a plan which will
give them better quarters. They have
had the plans for a Swiss cottage, to
contain a dining room, sitting room
and kitchen, drawn, and they will now
set about to have it built. They will
not ask any assistance from the faculty,
but will build it from the funds they
expect to obtain from a series of enter-
tainments which they will give. That
is the kind of stuff our California girls
are made of—independence. Their
cottage will soon be built, for the fac-
ulty and students will stumble over
each other in their efforts to attend the
different entertainments.

Lizzie Carr, (wife of W. B.) has sold
to George C. McChesney, lot 44, Re-
gent street Homestead Association.

County Clerk Jordan has issued a
license to Leo Edwin Varner of Oak-
land, 34, to wed Rosetta Gentry of
Berkeley, 24.

Among the various uses the new
woman has been put to is that of a
spotter on the cars. Some of the con-
ductors have already felt the influence
of these workers in the dark. The ar-
row was shot from a quarter hitherto
unsuspected.

Early yesterday morning the Uni-
versity Boat Club lost a new \$1600
rowing barge by the burning of G.
Hawley's carpenter shop, which adjoins
the club house on Sessions basin and
in which the boat was stored.

The Associated Students will hold a
meeting this afternoon immediately
after drill, for the purpose of urging
upon the faculty a modification of the
sentence passed upon Steele and Rob-
bins, who were suspended for cartoon-
ing Lieutenant Winn. They will urge
the faculty to remit the sentence so
that Steele can take the December ex-
aminations and graduate with his class
of '98.

An amended complaint has been
filed in the suit of B. E. Everson
against Frank Gimbel, S. A. Penwell
and C. R. Lord for \$50,000. It is al-
leged that they conspired together to
have him arrested on the charge of
selling a certain piece of land to Lord
and then selling it to a man named
James Kelley. He had a preliminary
hearing and was discharged after being
in jail three days.

The Paul Revere Council No. 28,
Junior Order American Mechanics, of
Berkeley, will dedicate its new hall on
Saturday next. The Councils in Oak-
land, Alameda and San Francisco will
take part in the exercises. At Berke-
ley a procession will be formed from
the station to the hall, the whole being
under the marshalship of P. Salisbury,
J. P. C., of Paul Revere. Albert C.
Piat will deliver the address of wel-
come, and the dedicatory address will
be delivered by Henry C. Schaetzler,
S. C.

A six-room house and bath, large
yard and chicken house, on Francisco
street, near Grant. Streets macada-
mized. Rent \$11 per month. En-
quire at 1807 Francisco street.

Don't go to Oakland for your wood
and coal, when Ramos & Renas guar-
antee to sell to you just as cheap. You
can secure from their yard, oak wood,
red wood and pine wood, and all kinds
of coal, horse hay, cow hay and feed
of all kinds at the very lowest prices.
Yard, corner of Addison and Eighth
streets, West Berkeley.

BURNED AT SEA.

NUPTIALS OF MISS WHITNEY AND
YOUNG PAGET.

Oscar Wilde Examined in Reference
to His Wealth and Declared
Insolvent.

Special dispatches to the GAZETTE.

Burned at Sea.

London, Nov. 12.—The British ship
Aboca from Calcutta to Bologne has
been burned at sea. The chief mate,
carpenter, apprentice and seven sea-
men arrived at Padalga today bringing
an account of the disaster.

Poor Oscar Wilde.

London, Nov. 12.—Oscar Wilde was
brought from the Warrmouth prison
today to this city where he was publicly
examined in the bankruptcy court as
to his assets. The testimony showed
that he had lived beyond his income
and was paid in advance for his plays.
His debts amount to £3591 and he
has no assets.

Another Girl Gone Wrong.

New York, Nov. 12.—At 12 o'clock
noon today in St. Thomas Church
corner of Fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth
street, Pauline Payne Whitney, daugh-
ter of ex-Secretary Whitney of the
Navy, was married to A. U. Paget, son
of Lord Alfred Paget. As far as
ceremonials go, it was not less brilliant
than the Marlborough-Vanderbilt wed-
ding. It was not as distinguished, al-
though young Paget is an Englishman
de does not inherit a title.

Burned to Death.

San Francisco, Nov. 12.—Miss Eliza
G. Holdrege, aged 90 years, was bur-
ned to death at her home at 1317 Union
street at 9:45 o'clock this morning. A
few minutes after that hour the neigh-
bors discovered smoke issuing from the
windows of her house and upon open-
ing the door found her dead in the
hall. The matting was found to be on
fire it having caught from the burning
clothing of the women. It is thought
that her dress caught fire from a coal
oil stove upon which she was cooking
her breakfast.

Railroad Reorganization.

New York, Nov. 12.—The stock-
holders of the Santa Fe Railway Com-
pany are in session here today for
the purpose of electing the officers of the
company. The leading candidates for
President are E. P. Jeffrey of the
Denver and Rio Grande road and D.
B. Robinson, acting President of the
Santa Fe road since President Rein-
heart resigned.

The D. K. E. Convention.

New York, Nov. 12.—The Forty-
ninth annual convention of the D. K.
E. Fraternity will be held in this city
on November 13th, 14th and 15th. A
reception will be tendered them the
first evening in the rooms of the
Century Club. On the second even-
ing there will be public exercises at
Crouse, College hall, and on the third
evening there will be addresses made
by Professor J. Scott Clark of the
Northwestern University and J. F.
Stevens of Lowell, Massachusetts.

Indians Killed.

Denver, Nov. 12.—Indian Agent
Day telegraphed from Ignacio today
that two Indians and a squaw had been
killed by unknown parties at the head
of Lost Canyon, and that the other In-
dians were acting very ugly and were
clamoring for revenge. Troops were
sent to his assistance at once.

Family Burned.

Chicago, Nov. 12.—As a result of a
fire which occurred in this city this
afternoon at 3:30 o'clock John Par-
ski is dead, Martin Paraski is badly
burned and will die, and John Par-
ski Jr. is terribly burned and will also
die. The family were asleep at the
time of the fire, and their escape was
cut off by the flames.

Whoa, Thar!

And step into Schmidt & Zehner's
in the Shattuck Block and inspect
those bread and cake knives that they
sell for 50 cents. If you need any
hardware, bird cages, pocket knives
or tacks for bicycles. They have
them. Call for anything in their line
and it will appear.

New Tonsorial Parlor.

Joe Santos has the finest hair
parlors in West Berkeley, located at
the corner of Fifth and Broadway
streets. The best shave and haircut in
town. Call and see.

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GOLD MINING.

The great impetus given to gold mining during the past two years, particularly in California is having its good effect in developing this great resource of the country. In all sections of California prospecting has been carried on to a greater extent than at any time heretofore. The consequence has been the discovery of rich mines both in places where it has been thought that the earth had been worked and in virgin ground.

All along the mother lode which has now been permanently located new and rich mines are being opened up very often. The farther the ground is gone into the better does it prospect when quartz ledges are being looked after.

El Dorado county from which so much gold was taken in the early days of California since the first discovery of it in that county by Marshall is again coming to the front. Both English and American companies have done much to develop the mining section about Georgetown and considerable work has been done near Placerville.

There are a great many pieces of property in this county that were hardly picked over and then abandoned which now by some more enlightened labor bestowed upon them are proving their worth. In days gone by although there was a great deal of work done, yet comparatively speaking the quartz mines in El Dorado county have only been scratched.

Mining on the bars was carried on to a great extent and millions of dollars were taken out. This wash gold, no doubt, came from quartz ledges not located very far away. With the work now in progress and more in contemplation there is every reason to believe that some of the richest ledges in the world lie hidden in the mountainous country about Placerville, will ere long be exposed to the gaze of man.

Some discoveries have lately been made near Bennett's station in a quarter entirely unexpected. John Houk while recently digging a ditch on meadow land adjoining Bennett's ranch was very much surprised on panning out some of the earth to find glittering particles of the yellow metal in it.

A company of Oakland people is about being formed to prospect this ground thoroughly and it is thought that the whole of this meadow land will pay handsomely to work it.

One could write on the subject of gold mines year in and out and always have plenty of fresh matter to keep his pen going. Suffice it to say that ere many years the start that gold mining has got today, the production of gold in California will make its effects felt in all parts of the world.

RAPID TRANSIT.

During the last twenty years the evolution of quick passage has made wondrous strides. We notice it in the gain of speed in horses, in vessels and in locomotives particularly. It is a longer period ago, however, that for a horse to go a mile in two minutes and forty seconds was considered very fast traveling. When the mile was accomplished in 2:16 much surprise was manifested. Now when a horse cannot make that distance in less than 2:06 he is not considered the speediest animal that runs in a race. But few years ago it was predicted that a horse would trot a mile in two minutes and would be the limit of his capacity. The epoch has been nearly reached. The time does come in which this distance is accomplished in that time, there is no doubt but that a wonderful animal will come to eclipse the present point.

Back a steamer, the vessel was credited with going

distance of 20 miles in an hour for some years that time was never beaten, and scarcely approached. Of late, however, over 30 miles an hour has been accomplished by inland steamers, and sea-going steamers have recorded 515 miles and over for successive days. This fast movement will, ere long, be considered as not up-to-date. Even war vessels have a record of over 22 knots an hour, which is very near the record of the once considered the fastest record of an inland boat which had the advantage of a strong tide in its favor.

Vessels have had an evolution not only in speed but in size and a corresponding improvement in equipage for comfort and ease in locomotion. Many of the steamers now in use for the carrying of passengers are fitted up almost like palaces. Those of sea-going properties as well as those who pass on the large rivers and lakes. Small boats were used during the rebellion for picket and dispatch services which could in emergencies get over a distance of twenty five miles in an hour.

The speed of locomotives has also been increased in the same proportion as other modes of conveyance. At one time the distance between San Francisco and Boston required nearly eight days to accomplish it and now the same ground can be gone over in five days and the work not pushed to any great extent. In only requires an average speed of about thirty-five miles an hour to accomplish the latter trip in the latter time. There are stops to be made up and quite often a speed of sixty miles an hour is shown when the watch is consulted.

Perhaps the greatest evolution has been arrived at where man power alone is used when traveling on the modern improved bicycle. By degrees this engine of locomotion, this method of annihilating space, has equaled the performance of steam engines. While man has been able to manufacture this kind of a vehicle which he can propel by his own power long distances in a very short time, he is now bringing to his aid electric power, which within a very few years he has been successful in harnessing.

On the land this evolution from slow to rapid transit has caused many improvements, not only in the fine mechanical work but has also shown the necessity of having good roads for the carriages to move over. At the present writing this latter matter is coming forward very fast, particularly because the swift going carriages have made it so necessary. What seems now nearly perfection will in a few years be relegated to the rear on account of the improvements which are daily being made and in the newly discovered methods of obtaining power for propulsion at a comparatively cheap rate.

France has taken the lead of other countries in the manufacture and introduction to the public of motor-carriages oil being the raw material from which the power is derived. Experiments are constantly being made in the use of electricity for the same purpose. Every day there is some new improvement announced and the time will not be long when the aggregate will come before the world in apparently a moment.

With good roads made for the convenience of these independent carriages we may soon expect to see the use of our now much vaunted railroads become almost, if not quite, useless; for some time they will be needed for the carrying of heavy weights, however. But for passenger traffic the independent carriage will surely come into general use. It will be an every day affair ere many years when a man can take his own motor to which is attached an eating, sleeping and drawing room car, and go with his family from one end of the United States to the other, taking in his fuel and provisions at way stations. He will be able to go just as far in a day or night as may be necessary, and then stop his train until it may suit his convenience to go ahead.

These are the jolly times in prospect and the young men and women who have just arrived at the age of majority and live the average age of men, will see and enjoy it. Then they will look backward and think what silly plans the people of the present age were.

East Berkeley talks mostly of bonds for the High School. West Berkeley makes a great deal of conversation about the new wharf. Hand in hand they will meet with success. In union there is strength. Let us have confidence in each other.

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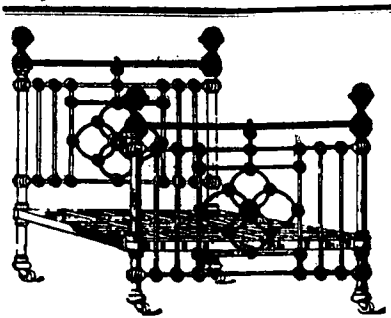
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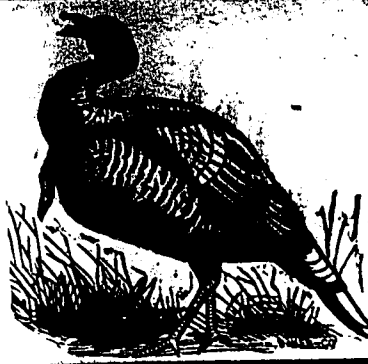
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First Monday in October 1895,

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next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen (15) per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one-half is not paid before the

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"But although the rattlesnake can't bite, if you're fooling around in a country where he is spending the summer, you want to keep your eyes peeled. And there is one particular thing you don't want to forget. It is a common and widespread fallacy that a rattlesnake is entirely harmless so long as he is uncoiled. I believed that once and found out by a startling personal experience that it wasn't so. It is true that when a rattlesnake is stretched at full length, with the muscles extended to the utmost, he could not strike an inch forward, but from that position he can strike backward his full length and with lightninglike velocity. One day I dropped a big stone on the head of a big rattler that lay in this position, crushing the head, the stone lying partly on the head. After gazing for some time at the quivering reptile so suddenly taken from life, I stooped down to remove his rattle. I had no sooner touched his tail than his mutilated head flew back, and almost grazing my cheek struck the sleeve of my coat just below the shoulder, where both fangs were buried, pulling out of the jaw and remaining in the sleeve as the snake fell back to the ground. They had not missed my cheek by more than a hair's breadth. With precaution I have made that test of a rattlesnake's capacity of striking in that way many times since then, and the snake always struck. The instinct is so strong in this reptile that I have known a rattler two hours after its head was severed from its body to strike back fiercely with its bleeding stump the instant its tail was touched.
"But the typical position of the rattlesnake when intent on deadly assault is the coil. This is not always a symmetrical spiral, but the body is massed in more or less regular folds, the muscles are contracted, and the reptile is literally an animate set spring. From this position the rattler can spring from one-half to two-thirds of his length. Before the stroke the mouth is opened wide, the fangs falling down from their sockets in the upper jaw and standing firmly in their position. The head is thrust forward, the half coils below it being straightened out to lengthen the neck and to give power to the strike. There is no preliminary motion. The stab is made with abrupt swiftness that defies escape of the victim. There is but one strike. The snake passes back into its coil again with the same swiftness that it threw itself out. As the fangs enter the flesh the venom is injected. If the thing struck at is beyond the rattler's reach, the snake has the power of squirting its venom in jets, which it can do to a distance of four feet or more.
"Sometimes a rattlesnake loses its fangs in the flesh of the object it strikes, but that does only temporary damage to its deadly armory. There are plenty of inoperative fangs lying in the jaw, only waiting for a change like that to come forward and be in line for business. They grow very fast, and in the course of two or three days a rattlesnake that has lost its fangs is refitted with a brand new pair. This is a good thing to remember, for it is the popular belief that a rattler is made harmless by extracting its venom fangs. The only way to render one of these reptiles harmless, besides killing it, is to apply red-hot iron to the cavities left by the fangs. This will destroy all the vitality of these dangerous parts, and new fangs will not come in.
"The rattlesnake never pursues his prey; he waits. He will not go out of his way to attack anything. He will invariably keep on his course, if not cornered or teased. On my step within four inches of a rattlesnake and will not be disturbed by it if you keep right on your way. If you stop, the snake at once will take it for a challenge and hit you only too quick. It is said, as if by authority, that the rattlesnake never sounds his rattle until he has coiled. If that is so, rattlesnakes that I have seen must have been freaks, for they have rattled when lying at full length and even when moving, as well as in their coils. The rattler, when traveling, will cross lakes and streams, and he swims with his head and his rattles raised well above the water. The force with which a rattlesnake can strike is such that I once teased one into striking at a piece of belting at least a quarter of an inch thick, and he sent his fangs clear through it."—New York Sun.
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